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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

SHARNELL MARIE HORNE,

Plaintiff - Appellant,

v.

ANGELINE'S YWCA,

Defendant - Appellee.

No. 05-35601

D.C. No. CV-05-00292-RSM

MEMORANDUM*

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Western District of Washington
Ricardo S. Martinez, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted May 15, 2006 **

Before: B. FLETCHER, TROTT, and CALLAHAN, Circuit Judges.

Sharnell Marie Horne appeals pro se from district court's entry of default judgment and order that defendant Angeline's YWCA pay Horne \$100. We dismiss the appeal.

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** The panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

Horne's brief fails to comply with Fed. R. App. P. 28. *N/S Corp. v. Liberty Mutual Ins. Co.*, 127 F.3d 1145, 1146 (9th Cir. 1997). Most importantly, Horne fails to identify the specific contentions she is raising on appeal. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 28(a)(9). As such, we cannot tell what challenge Horne is making to the judgment in her favor, and we conclude Horne has waived any potential contentions on appeal. *See Greenwood v. Fed. Aviation Admin.*, 28 F.3d 971, 977 (9th Cir. 1994) ("We review only issues which are argued specifically and distinctly in a party's opening brief. We will not manufacture arguments for an appellant.") (citations omitted). Accordingly, this appeal is dismissed. *See O'Brien v. O'Brien (In re O'Brien)*, 312 F.3d 1135, 1136 (9th Cir. 2002) (order) ("failure to comply with Rule 28, by itself, is sufficient ground to justify dismissal of an appeal").

DISMISSED.